WHICH AN ELECTION IS HELD SHALL HAVE HIS PER DIEM COMPENSATION REDUCED BY THE SUM OF FIFTEEN DOLLARS (\$15.00) TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00). THIS SUM SHALL BE PAYABLE AT THE SAME TIME AS THE CITY OF BALTIMORE COMPENSATES ITS ELECTION DAY JUDGES FOR SERVICE ON EACH ELECTION DAY.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1967.

Approved April 21, 1967.

## CHAPTER 609

(House Bill 753)

AN ACT to authorize the County Commissioners of Howard County, in their discretion, to borrow Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000.00) upon the faith and credit of said Howard County for the purposes of constructing and making improvements to public schools in Howard County, as more particularly described herein, and to issue bonds therefor and to levy taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the County Commissioners of Howard County, be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to issue at one time, or from time to time, upon the faith and credit of said County, bonds in an amount or amounts not exceeding IN the aggregate Two Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000.00), for the following purposes only:

- 1. Construction of the Vocational-Technical Center.
- 2. Construction of Wilde Lake Elementary School.
- 3. Construction of Second District Elementary School.
- 4. Such other projects as may be authorized by the Board of County Commissioners.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the County Commissioners of Howard County shall, when they exercise said discretion, by resolution, prescribe the form and tenor of said bonds, the method and manner of offering the same for sale and the rate of interest payable thereon, or the method of arriving at such rate or rates of interest. Said County Commissioners may fix said rate or rates of interest in said resolution or may request bidders to name the rate or rates of interest upon which their bids are based, and said County Commissioners may provide that different rates of interest may be named for different serial maturities of said bonds or for different issues thereof; provided, however, that under no circumstances shall any such rate or rates of interest exceed five per centum (5%) per annum. The resolution or resolutions authorizing the issue of all or any such bonds shall also fix the date or dates of issue thereof and the terms and place for payment of maturing principal and interest.